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Subject: Status of Review, Intrepid Potash-Wendover LLC, Bonneville Plant/Reilly, M045/002, Tooele County, Utah

Dear Mr. York:

On August 20, 2007 we received your response to our second review and it contained the results of the soil samples and these results were reviewed and found acceptable for insertion into the plan. The groundwater monitoring plan was received January 23, 2008 and it was found acceptable for insertion into the plan. Please provide a commitment to submit this data annually with the Annual report.

The remaining issues from our May 11, 2007 review that have not been addressed and are still outstanding are the use of the D-6 low impact Cat vs. D-9 Cat on pond areas south of I-80, and the other issue regarding the need for multiple mobilization and demobilizations to reflect limited time that equipment can operate on the flats. These issues or questions are found in our May 11, 2008 review under R-647-4-113- Surety.

As discussed with Shaw Environmental on February 1, 2008, you intend on submitting a final document that will be given to our Division around the end of March. We discussed with Shaw Environmental that the Division could hold certain things confidential like the location, size, and nature of the mineral deposit and proprietary processing processes. You have marked the Surety confidential in the document and we could not allow this to be kept confidential. Any items that are to be marked confidential need to be taken out the plan and submitted in a separate binder. All confidential information in previous submitted copies will need to be removed from those binders and put in a confidential binder, as the plan will become public information when it goes to our Public Information Center.

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Any questions or concerns please call me at 801-538-5258 or Tom Munson of my staff at 801-538-5321. Thank for the quality of your submittal and your cooperation in completing this project.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Susan M. White". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Susan" being more prominent than the last name "White".

Susan M. White
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